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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD TO PROTECT
VITAL MEMORY SPACE FROM NON-
MALICIOUS WRITES IN A MULTI DOMAIN
SYSTEM

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**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED
EXAMINATION (RCE)**

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Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Final Office Action dated May 23, 2007, finally rejecting claims 1, 3-16 and 18-20 and accompanying an RCE. Please reconsider the above-identified U.S. patent application in light of the remarks presented below.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.